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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**
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10 IN RE: Bard IVC Filters Products
11 Liability Litigation,
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No. MDL 15-02641-PHX-DGC
ORDER

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15 The parties have filed an updated report on the settlement status of cases.
16 Doc. 20751. The report identifies approximately 100 Track 2 cases that have settled in
17 principle. *Id.* at 2-13. These cases may remain in Track 2 until May 1, 2020 to allow time
18 to complete settlement paperwork and file stipulated dismissals. *See* Doc. 16343 at 7
19 (CMO 42).

20 The Court gave the parties until November 1, 2019 to file stipulated dismissals for
21 Track 1 cases and to execute a release and term sheet for Track 2 cases. Doc. 16343 at 6-7.
22 Defendants move for a 30-day extension of time, stating that more than 1000 of the
23 approximately 4,400 Track 1 cases already have been dismissed and additional time is
24 needed to complete the resolution of the remaining Track 1 cases. Doc. 20750 at 1-2.
25 Defendants also request additional time to settle in principle several hundred Track 2 cases.
26 *Id.* at 2. Plaintiffs' Co-Lead Counsel agree to each request. *See id.* at 1.

27 The Court will grant Defendants' motion. The parties shall have until **December 1,**
28 **2019** to file stipulated dismissals for Track 1 cases and settle in principle Track 2 cases.

1 All Track 1 cases for which a stipulated dismissal has not been filed by the December 1
2 deadline, and all Track 2 cases for which a release or term sheet has not been executed by
3 the same deadline, will be recommended to the JPML for remand or will be transferred
4 under 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a).

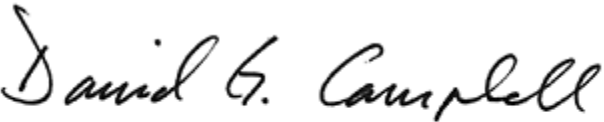
5 The parties' updated report identifies no new Track 3 cases, but three individual
6 Plaintiffs – Maria Dalbotten, George Leus, and Theda Banks – have filed separate motions
7 to remand or transfer. Docs. 20899, 20903, 20925. Defendants shall file responses to the
8 motions by **November 22, 2019**.

9 **IT IS ORDERED:**

10 1. Defendants' unopposed motion for extension of time (Doc. 20750) is
11 **granted**. The parties shall have until **December 1, 2019** to (1) file stipulated dismissals
12 for Track 1 cases, and (2) execute a release or term sheet in Track 2 cases. The deadline
13 will not be extended.

14 2. Defendants shall file responses to the motions to remand or transfer
15 (Docs. 20899, 20903, 20925) by **November 22, 2019**.

16 Dated this 15th day of November, 2019.

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20 David G. Campbell
21 Senior United States District Judge
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